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PRESIDENT WILSON'S STEP IS TREATED AS DRAMATIC

OPINIONS AS TO WILSON'S STATEMENT AND ATTITUDE OF ITALY VARY.

London, April 24.—"A thunderbolt," "a bombshell," "an appeal to Caesar," and other descriptive expressions are used by the morning newspapers in connection with President

Wilson's declaration on the Italian situation. The president's step is treated as a dramatic development at the peace conference by most of the journals. Apparently halted temporarily by astonishment, some newspapers refrain from making any comment.

Everywhere Mr. Wilson's action is regarded as having created a most serious situation, the unfolding of which will be watched with anxiety and interest. Such editorials as appear are manifestly written with an eye to Italy's possible withdrawal from the conference, though Premier Orlando's announcement of his de-

cision to quit Paris had not reached London when the papers were published. Opinions as to Mr. Wilson's statement and Italy's attitude vary. The Graphic, while disclaiming any hostility to Italy, refers to her "obdurate attitude" and advocates the Croatian claims to Fiume. It holds its news column with the caption, "Italy Jeopardizing Peace." The Chronicle places over the news from the peace conference the head, "Wilson's Surrender Appeal for Small Nations," but is editorially perturbed. "Without opposing President Wilson," it calls his action a "strong step and a momentous

innovation." The editorial takes a sympathetic attitude toward Italy's position, although it is admitted "the issue is one upon which opinions can be honestly held." Mr. Wilson's appeal from the diplomatic table to the general public may at first sight commend itself as consonant with democratic statesmanship, and editorial roads. "The result of making an exception in Italy's case to past secrecy is to create a danger for the whole league of nations," which, the newspaper adds, may, if the Italians withdraw, "find its existence virtually terminated before it is begun."

The Daily News, under the heading "The Breaking Point," calls attention to the grave crisis. A conviction that Mr. Wilson never have taken such a step except as a last resource after the failure of all private negotiations, is voiced by the Express. "It would be idle to speculate on what will follow," the newspaper says. "The two antagonistic principles which have been more or less in violent conflict throughout the deliberations of the conference are now met in a death grapple. One or the other must yield, and the defeat of either will in all probability be final. If Mr. Wilson's principles

prevail, all such claims as those Italy is now advancing must be abandoned permanently. If, on the other hand, Premier Orlando's claims are recognized, there is an end to the principles of self-determination everywhere."

The Express declares the situation is very serious, but maintains that in questions which threaten the conference with disaster, the press and public have no power to give any sort of judgment. It urges the British to blindly and untidily support Lloyd George as the nation's representative.

A delegation of the G.W.V.A. headed by A. Hamilton, president of the Calgary branch of the association, waited upon Premier Stewart at Edmonton on Tuesday. Premier Stewart gave his promise that he would support the request of the association that male employees of the provincial government be granted a minimum of \$100 per month with domestic allowance to married men of \$25.00 a month. This was a retrograde from January 1, 1919; that he recognized that the G.W.V.A. was an official body representing returned soldiers, and that he did not wish to refuse any financial support to any other organization representing returned men.

THE SIEGE OF SYDNEY STREET

By F. N. V. SMITH.

7:30 a.m., my telephone rings. It's blank, cold morning, I don't recall the date, but the rain is falling down.

I put on my dressing gown, and if words would kill, the operator would have died for ringing me up. I asked her the silly question, "Are you there?" after a gruff voice in no better temper than my own had greeted my good morning with "Yes, what's wrong?"

"Oh, the Topical co. want to know if you will get into a cab (there were no taxis) and bring your camera and about 500 feet of film to Aldgate station. Mr. Willard will meet you there at 9 o'clock." To my enquiry as to why the hurry I was told to bring a revolver well loaded. This looked like fun, so I waited no longer, I rushed out of the house, my wife thinking I had gone crazy, without breaking my fast, and hailed the first cab I could get.

After a cold drive with nothing inside me and only my camera and tripod for company, I was not in the best frame of mind when I arrived at Aldgate, with 15 minutes to spare, and after a few minutes' waiting I had not had my usual cup of tea, which most Englishmen like in bed. I approached an old-fashioned coffee stall and proceeded to get on the right side of two hard boiled eggs, bread and butter and tea, when about 20 mounted police passed at a gallop. Upon my enquiry to the stall keeper as to the cause of the excitement he replied, "A lot of foreigners were in trouble in Sydney Street and Whitechapel." Even then I did not connect this with my visit to the East End.

At this moment Mr. Willard approached, and after apologizing for, as he termed, dragging me out, said the firm would make up for my uncomfortable feelings. In reply to my enquiry as to what it was all about, the best information he could or would give me was, "A friend of his at Scotland Yard had informed him that they the police had tried to capture some anarchists and looked like meeting with difficulties, they having laid in a state of siege. This hardly appealed to me from a film point of view, but after a walk of about one and a half miles, it seemed as if the whole of London was in a state of excitement. Crowds at all corners, as it were, and Willard having obtained two police passes, we had no difficulty in gaining a thoroughfare. We had not proceeded another twenty yards after repeated warnings to take cover, when a volley was heard over our heads. I immediately found out how fast my legs could carry me, and eventually found myself in the council yard, and it was here I got the first thread of the story. Apparently the police had heard several anarchists they were after were in 29, Sydney Street, and upon going to the house to arrest them were met with revolver shots, and upon returning with reinforcements, were fired at from the roof and windows before getting near the house. Up to this point one sergeant had been shot dead and another injured.

I then began to think of some means of getting a picture, and my eyes fell upon one of the old fashioned watering carts used in London, and after persuading four of the council employees with a golden sovereign each I got them to push the cart within viewing distance of the besieged house. Having previously erected my camera and got myself in the tank, it only left my head exposed.

I had no sooner got settled down when a troop of the Grenadier Guards put in an appearance. This as will probably be remembered by many was the cause of a lot of fan being poked at Winston Churchill who was the minister responsible for them being called out, but that is nothing to do with the story. The Grenadier Guards, many of whom had never been under fire before, made a fine, fearless show. They immediately barricaded each end of the street with sand bags, and as many as possible got into other houses and on the roofs of opposite buildings, and a constant fire was kept up. My position did not feel at all comfortable, and I was in a position I could not get out of, and between two fires. It is surprising that the casualties were not great, but after many hours of tedious waiting, which I will not labor readers with, for some unaccountable reason the house caught fire. This was the end of the anarchists, a number of whom were burnt to death in their own trap. It is not quite certain, but is supposed that one suspect who got off was Peter the Painter, who is, or was until a few weeks ago, the leader of the Bolsheviks in Russia. Our losses were two police killed and several injured, and I frankly admit I had a loss also of my nerves for several days.

STEWART PROMISES G.W.V.A. HIGHER PAY.

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PREDICTS ANOTHER WAR.

A soldier citizen, writing to the Calgary Herald, corroborates the contention of Gen. Griesbach, of Edmonton, that there will be another war with Germany in the near future. He gives convincing arguments, as follows:

"I have noted a great deal of comment recently concerning the prediction of a certain English astrologer, regarding the probability of another war in the near future. This astrologer referred to 'Sepharia' and I have read a good deal of his work. It might furnish food for thought, if I quote some of his predictions of years gone by. He might be only guessing, but so he certainly out-guessed a good many who 'certainly' ought to have known.

The Kaiser himself said that at the fall of the leaves in 1914, his troops would be back in the Fatherland. He was just four years out of his reckoning. Lloyd George said late as November 14 last he was sure of the result, but did not think victory would come so soon. Here is what 'Sepharia' said in 1914. The war will be titanic and will last until 1918. Germany will gather the Dead Sea fruit of an inordinate ambition. The Hohenzollerns will bite the dust. Their empire is going to an eclipse. The ascendancy of the Anglo-Saxon race is a thing as fully assured as that the sun shall rise tomorrow upon a world that today is black with the thoughts of men bent upon mutual destruction. At that time he also said that Russia would be involved in a revolution in the midst of the war, that Russia would not emerge with any measure of success, that Franz Joseph of Austria would succumb, that Belgium would be overrun and devastated and that neither Russia nor Austria, nor Germany could hope for a successful issue from the great struggle.

On October 16, 1914, he said the crown prince of Prussia would be deposed of his inheritance and patrimony through the war, his estates being involved in chaos and ruin; that his obsession would lead to the rupture of all foreign relations and treaties, and that insanity and a violent death would wait upon his bestial orgies like an avenging semesha.

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"The old gang of militarists are all back at their offices, nobody has been discredited, and the militarists are having things all their own way. Now I clearly see that by the year 1921 the militarist faction in Prussia

will have taken the reins of government despite the so-called Democratic League. From that time forward there will one set purpose in view—to ally India to Germany, Greece, to prepare a Turkish catapult in Asia Minor, and to cement an anti-British alliance with Russia; a work to strike British supremacy in the near east. These are the elements of that Armageddon which has to be fought out in the years 1920 to 1929. In those days a Prince of the Hohenzollerns will rule in Prussia. So much for the human prescience in bringing the war of 1914-1918 to its untimely end. That we have not sufficiently maintained the cause of Humanism and Collectivism against the tyranny of Feudalism and Militarism is a conviction that is already creeping into men's minds. Before very long it will be plain to all."

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Calgary, April 25.

SOLDIERS' FIRST

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Calgary Council discussed the advisability of carrying their own insurance last week. In ten years the city has paid \$100,000 in premiums, while the loss has only been \$10,000. Red Deer could very well do likewise as this city, we believe, has never had a fire loss of a single dollar, and thousands of dollars have been paid in premiums.

PEACE TREATY WILL BE READY BY WEEK-END

Paris, April 27.—It was stated in French circles tonight that the peace conference would be ready to present the peace treaty to the Germans Friday or Saturday of this week. The drafting committee worked through out the entire day today while the members of the Council of Three were taking a respite from conference work.

The French idea is that the text of the treaty is nearly completed. The military and naval sections have been finished, with the exception of the situation regarding the Kiel Canal and some secondary points.

Aside from the disposition of Klauchau, which some of the delegates are confident will be settled tomorrow, there remains to be settled conclusively questions of the customs regime in the Duchy of Luxembourg, the disposition of the German cable lines and the repatriation of German prisoners of war. The report of the special commission on the latter question is expected tomorrow.

It was said tonight that all other problems had been solved and drafted into the articles of the treaty including the control of the west bank of the Rhine.

The latest reports are that a secret plenary session will be held on Thursday or Friday evening for communication of the terms to the allied and associated powers.

CLEAN-UP DAY

Next Friday Morning, May 2

Mr. E. S. Hogg, President of the Red Deer Horticultural Society, was appointed Chief of the Clean-up Day organization at the public meeting at the City Hall Wednesday evening.

The Mayor will proclaim a half-holiday for the forenoon of next Friday, May 2, to enable the citizens to join in making a thorough clean-up of the town.

All vacant lots, lanes and streets as well as occupied property are to be cleaned up. The committee expect that the citizens will have most of the rubbish deposited in the lanes by the night of Thursday, May 1, so that the teams can start hauling away early next morning.

All ashes and manure now on the lanes is to be disposed of by the citizens before the date of the clean-up. This is to be done at the expense of the residents. The committee will have enough on their hands in dealing with the papers, rags, and other rubbish that they will not have time to deal with the ashes and manure, which the private citizen will attend to himself before the clean-up day.

The committee urges upon all citizens to do their share by getting out their ashes and manure before next Friday; by getting their rubbish into the lanes by the night of Thursday, May 1, by helping out the captains as far as possible on Friday morning. The list of captains and districts is as follows:

Captain—J. B. North, to river.

Moyes—Blocks 11 and 12.

Stone—Blocks 4, 5, 8, 9 and 10.

H. Russell—South to Hospital from 2nd St. South, west of Gaetz.

Major Seeres—Second St. South to 2nd St. North, west of Gaetz.

Gamble—Between 2nd St. and Ross St. Gaetz Ave. N.W. and Creek east.

Broun—Between 2nd St. and 1st St. 28, 29 and 30.

Turnbull—E. Gaetz Ave. Blocks 13, 14, 21, 22, 23, 24 east to creek.

Melstrom—Third St. N. to 5th St. N. Waskasoo east to foot of hill.

Bell—South of 5th St. to Ross St. Waskasoo.

Simpson—North of 5th Street, Waskasoo.

Carscadden and Paton—Michener Hill.

Sparks—Parkvale.

Shannon—West Park, Red Deer.

BRITISH WEST INDIES MAY JOIN UP WITH CANADA.

Kingston, Jamaica, April 25.—Harry J. Crowe, of Newfoundland, addressed a gathering of citizens here last night, relative to a commercial and political union between Canada and the British West Indies. He stated that the Canadian premier was willing to receive a deputation from the islands to discuss the matter. The suggestion of a confederation with Canada is receiving favorable consideration here, and a committee has been formed to deal with the proposition.

VISIT FROM MRS. SANFORD

On Wednesday afternoon, Mrs. Sanford, of Hamilton, Ont., president of the National Council of Women, and a member of the First National Council, visited Red Deer and addressed the Local Council of Women of this city.

On account of so much illness, only about twenty-five women were present but those who were privileged to meet Mrs. Sanford will not soon forget her charming personality or her intensely interesting message of faith and loving sympathy. Mrs. Sanford described her visit to the Councils of Europe, Asia, Africa and America, and particularly her visit to Serbia and other Balkan states prior to the war. In each country she found women interested in the same—motherhood, sisterhood. The International Council, of which Mrs. Sanford has been treasurer since 1914, after its organization, brings the women of all these countries into very close touch. In connection with the National Council, Mrs. Sanford spoke of the good work done by the affiliated societies, and mentioned particularly the valuable work accomplished through the Women's Institutes. It is difficult for women to realize their power when united in a common cause and when conscious of a Divine hand guiding them in answer to their earnest prayer for guidance to solve the problems now facing the world.

Mrs. Sanford is returning from a trip to the Coast cities, visiting from the Echo De la Baie de la Mer. She is entertained by Mrs. F. W. Galbraith, President of Red Deer Local Council.

ALLIANCE BETWEEN U.S. AND FRANCE NOW UNDER WAY

Paris, April 27.—A project for an alliance between France and the United States actually is under way, the Echo De la Baie de la Mer reports.

President Wilson, however, the paper adds, is withholding action

P. BURNS COMES OUT STRONGLY FOR WAR SAVINGS CAMPAIGN

WELL KNOWN LEADER IN WESTERN LIVESTOCK INDUSTRY RECOMMENDS POLICY OF THRIFT



P. BURNS, Calgary.

P. Burns, of Calgary, is one of the best known persons west of the Great Lakes, and indeed, throughout all Canada, for his many activities, both in industrial and philanthropic circles have made him known far and wide. His advice on thrift is exceptionally valuable because he is a self-made man and one of the most successful business men in the Dominion. In a recent statement he says:

"When we realize that the National Savings Campaign will add to our comforts, as well as increase our resources and add to our earning power, we should all give this movement persistent and enthusiastic support."

"I know—every one knows—that the word 'thrift' to many persons is repellant. It suggests a dour, grey life into which the sun is not permitted to shine. Now I may reasonably claim that I have been thrifty all my life—I may even go so far as to say that thrift is a hobby of mine—and yet it has not caused me any unhappiness. It has not made the days dark for me. It does not bring extravagance. I can see no excuse for it. I do know, on the other hand, that the man, woman, or child who is rationally thrifty, gets good interest in the form of happiness. Let us all be thrifty, and that simply means being sensible, and Canada will prosper."

"There are, unfortunately, people who are forced by regrettable circumstances to be thrifty to this point where their sufferings in fact, they really have no money to be thrifty with. Let those of us who are better situated be thrifty and we shall improve Canada's financial and industrial and agricultural conditions so that suffering may be reduced to an absolute minimum. We can do it. To my mind no better means of encouraging thrift was ever offered, than the National Savings Campaign. It enables every one who can put by a few cents now and again to become a national benefactor. And in becoming a national benefactor that person helps himself or herself, for the saving interest is 4 per cent, compounded. The National Savings Stamp at \$4.03 is an incomparable investment, and the plan by which 25-cent Thrift Stamps lead up to investment in the \$4.03 Stamps, is unequalled."

LEVIATHAN MISSES MINE BY ONLY TEN YARDS.

New York, April 25.—The giant troopship Leviathan, with 12,000 soldiers, the last of six transports to arrive here today, bringing 22,712 men, missed a mine by only 30 feet while off the Grand Banks of Newfoundland Tuesday morning, her officers reported when she docked today.

The officers of the ship said the Leviathan had been warned to look out for a floating mine the day before by the transport Mount Vernon, which had preceded them. On receipt of the radio warning, the course of the ship was changed and she sailed nearly one hundred miles to the southwest of the location of the mine as given by the other transport.

The floating infernal machine was sighted, the officers said, at 10.40 a.m. by Lieut-Commander Harold Cunningham, who was on the bridge, dead ahead of the transport. Quick thinking and quick action were all that averted a collision.

A desperate twist of the wheel sent the steamer past the mine with a margin of safety of ten yards.

ITALIAN DELEGATES TO BE AT VERSAILLES

Paris, April 26.—Premier Orlando and his colleagues on the Italian delegation to the peace conference will appear before the Italian parliament on Monday next, April 28, according to the Paris Press.

The newspaper says:

"We are about to affirm that, whatever the outcome of this session of the Italian parliament, the premier and his fellow delegates will immediately start for Paris and that the Italian delegation will be in full strength at Versailles on May 1."

until he can place the matter before the United States senate for ratification.

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BRITISH AND FRENCH WAR-SHIPS REVIEWED ON THE RHINE

Mayence, April 25.—The first review of British and French warships that has ever taken place in the Rhine river was witnessed opposite Mayence yesterday afternoon by a large number of British, American and Belgian officials.

Twelve British gunboats of the Rhine fleet came up from Cologne, joining 16 French gunboats for the review. The festivities were in celebration of St. George's Day.

The spectacle was suitably watched from the shores by the German populace, who made no demonstration.

JOINT STATEMENT MAY BE ISSUED TO SUPPORT WILSON

Paris, April 26.—In which quarters the question is being considered of issuing some form of a joint statement bringing out the fact that Premier Lloyd George and Premier Clemenceau are in agreement with President Wilson on France and other phases of the Italian problem.

FIUME WANTS ANNEXATION.

Fiume, April 26.—A vast crowd, including the members of many organizations, escorted the national council which General Graziola today to express the city's determination to be annexed to Italy.

Banking Credit for Farmers

THE CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE

invites the Co-operation of its farmer customers in furthering its efforts to give them efficient service, particularly in the matter of credits for Grain Growing and Livestock

Grain Loans: It is this Bank's policy to carry its loans to grain growers so as to enable the latter to complete the full work on their land, and market their grain gradually after the freeze-up.

Livestock Loans: We make liberal loans to farmers, large and small, to purchase both feeders and breeding stock, and we carry such loans so as to enable farmers to finish the stock properly for market.

Make your Banker your financial adviser and let him help you to shape your affairs, with a view to enabling you to obtain what credit you require from the Bank and to pay cash for your goods.

If, after giving your Bank Manager a full and truthful statement of your affairs, you cannot obtain the credit which you need and to which you think you are entitled, don't nurse a grudge against the Bank. Instead, lay the facts before the Directors of your local Grain Growers' Association, and get them to take the matter up with your Banker—not necessarily by way of complaint, but rather to clear up any possible misunderstanding.

Then the Directors feel that your case merits more generous treatment than the local Manager is disposed to give, let it be put on the agenda of the Secretary of your Provincial Grain Growers' Association, with a view to his discussing the matter with the Bank's chief Western representative. This is a form of co-operation we would cordially welcome.

THE CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE

BIG VALUES

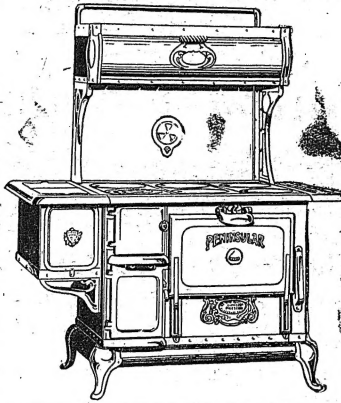
RANGE SPECIAL

The new "Monarch" makes a fine range for the farm as it has a large 20-inch oven, big 10-gallon enamel reservoir, 6 No. 9 lids, and is trimmed in white enamel and nickel. This range has a polished top which requires no black lead; a damp cloth is all that is necessary to keep it clean and bright.

Regular \$100.00 Range.

SPECIAL CASH PRICE

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Western Stock Pump

Fitted with 4x12 cylinder and 2-inch black pipe, which throws a large volume of water. This pump can be operated by either windmill, gas engine, or by hand.

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Pts. 80c

Standard Kalsomine

5lb pks. 65c

Paint Brushes,

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Garden Rakes,

50c, \$1.00, & \$1.35

Garden Hoes,

65c, 85c, & \$1.00

Ladies' Floral Sets, 50c

How about a cheap Hammer for around the House

35c

O'CEDAR MOPS,

Round and Triangle,

\$1.50

4 oz. bot. O'Cedar Oil 25c

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Garden Trowels, 20c

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C. C. WYMAN
PROPRIETOR
BOUQUETS.
During the fighting round Cambrai
an officer leaped from his car before
a Y.M.C.A. canteen in a ruined har-
bour out of sight of the enemy and
ravenously took advantage of the
free drinks, biscuits, and cigarettes
distributed by the "Y" in the midst
of operations.
"There are two things that have
earned my undying gratitude in this
war," he murmured through a mouthful
of Canadian biscuits, "the Ford car
and the 'Y'."
A soldier, emerging from a "Y"
cinema hut, was overheard to ex-
claim himself thus to a mate: "Good old
Y.M.C.A. They're some sure huss-
lers these days. We'd die in this hole
if it weren't for them."
Two "Y" officers were working in
one of a hut when six soldiers
entered the other a little overpowered
by their numbers. Their buoyancy of
expression finally brought a reproval
from the "Y" officers, and thereafter
there was comparative quiet. Next
day four of the six spontaneously and
separately came to apologize.
A fifth did more. Ten months after-
wards, when the celebration of armis-
tice again loomed, the bonds of his
self-control, he met one of the officers
on the street of a Belgian town.
Whereupon, with a strange freak of
memory, he poured out an apology for
an incident that had long since be-
come ancient history; and there on
the street the "Y" received one of its
most superlative eulogies, to wit, the
edification of an admiring throng of
Belgians who probably did not under-
stand a word.

**DR. CLARK SEES
SERIOUS FINANCIAL
TROUBLES AHEAD**
SAYS WAGES AND COSTS GOING
UP, BUT REVENUE IS NOT;
FEARS HARD TIMES
Ottawa, April 22.—The first item
under consideration in committee of
the supply was \$189,500 for salaries
in the department of railways and
canals.
A. B. McColg, West Kent, took the
government to task for permitting an
excess of private cars on the
Ottawa division of the Canadian gov-
ernment railways. He said that he
wired on Monday evening for a sleep-
ing car, but when he arrived in Toronto
he could not have one. The reason
was that there were three private
coaches on the train. One was occu-
pied by the minister of militia, an-
other by Sir Thos. White and a third
by Sir Henry Dwyer.
Dr. Reid said private cars were
being used less at present than in the
past. It was an accident that there
were three on Monday evening's train.
COST OF LIVING
Dr. Michael Clark, of Red Deer, on
being informed by Dr. Reid that the
cost of living was one of the reasons
for the increase of salaries given the
deputy ministers, expressed the hope
that the government was seriously
attaching this question. He said they
had heard that the cost of living was
\$200,000,000 in the hole. He noticed
that costs were increasing and that
salaries were being raised, but what
he noticed was that the government was
in the next two or three years, he
said, times very different from the
present.

WILLOWDALE BOX SOCIAL
A box social was held in the Willow-
dale schoolhouse on Friday, April 19,
under the auspices of the Willowdale
Club for the purpose of raising funds
towards building a community hall.
H. M. Hodgkinson filled the chair
for a very capable manner. Among the
selections on the programme were some
very interesting and amusing dialogues.

SPRINGVALE CONCERT
The concert given on Thursday even-
ing in the Springvale schoolhouse,
under the auspices of the Y.P.C.C., was
a huge success, and was enjoyed by a
large audience. The Springvale quar-
tette rendered some beautiful selec-
tions. The solo "He Was a Prince,"
sung by Mrs. Harry Wallace, was
highly appreciated. The programme
was pleasantly varied by recitations,
monologues and dialogues. Rev. H. C.
Stuter, impersonated the Dickens
characters afforded great amusement.
"Mistral nonpareil," by Mr. L. M.
Gaetz and Mr. Harry Wallace was a
scream from start to finish. The piano
selections by Mrs. E. Wallace, of
Red Deer, were a treat to all. After
the concert, refreshments were served
by the ladies, and then all took part
in a dance which was the crowning
event of the evening.

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Branches in all parts of Canada, and cor-
respondents abroad, this Bank is in a position
to present Drafts promptly, have them
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The Manager will be glad to take up this
matter with you.
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**SEATS OF O.B.U.
DELEGATES ARE
NOW VACATED**

CLIMAX REACHED IN TRADES
AND LABOR COUNCIL AT
EDMONTON
Edmonton, April 22.—A complete
climax was reached in the Trades
and Labor Council last night in regard to
the One Big Union movement, which
originated at the Calgary Inter-pro-
vincial convention, when President
McCreath, immediately on calling the
meeting to order, read the following
notice:

"By order of the executive com-
mittee of this council, and by virtue of
the authority vested in it, I hereby
declare vacant the seats of all dele-
gates voting for any work in the in-
terests of 'One Big Union,' which
attitude and action are in every
sense contrary to the constitution of
the American Federation of Labor, as
set forth in Article 11, Section 1,
which reads as follows:—

"No central labor union or any
other central body of delegates shall
admit to, or retain in their council,
delegates from any local organization
that owes its allegiance to any other
body, national or international, in-
cluding any affiliated organization."

"The following local unions are in-
cluded as being 'in line' with this
order applies, and their affiliations are
hereby canceled:—
"Local 1325, United Brotherhood of
Carpenters; Federal Labor Union, No.
48, and local 4070, United Mine Work-
ers."

M. D. OF HAYS NO. 338

"The second meeting of the Council
was held in Lousiana on Saturday,
April 12, with about 100 delegates
and Councillor Hampton present.

Moved by Ross "that the letter from
the Elmore Consolidated School Dis-
trict be tabled." Carried.

Moved by McBee "that this Council
have no objection to many the mat-
ter of leasing the original road allow-
ance between S.W. 8 and S.E. 6-27-24,
W. 4th." Carried.

Moved by Ross "that we pay the
rental for grazing lease on the S. half
and S.W. of 29-25-23, and on the S.
half and S.W. of 11-27-23 for this year,
and further, that the Council stand
prepared to pay the rental on any
school land in the Municipal District
in all cases where a lease or permit
has been applied for, and the other per-
sons with it left open for the general
use of all citizens." Carried.

Accounts to the amount of \$181.35
were read, passed and ordered paid on
a motion by Farries.

Moved by Brogan "that the account
of Dr. Haworth for \$1064 be disallow-
ed." Carried.

Moved by Ross "that during the cur-
rent year, money on roads, bridges,
culverts, etc. be expended in the
division of the Municipal District as
per assessment and taxation within
the respective divisions and further,
that where any division over-spent
their amount allotted in 1918, that
they will be deducted from the
amount allotted in 1919, and again,
where any division did not spend
their 1918 amount, that amount will
be added to the 1919 allotment." Carried.

Moved by McBee "that we disallow
the following machinery and culverts from
the Canada Iron Co.: Twelve
Francis's at \$42.50 each, 2 wheelers at
\$75 each, 2 culverts, 24 inches by 18
feet, at \$41.20 each. Payable November
1, 1919, without interest." Carried.

Moved by Farries "that we disallow
the claim of W. J. Mott for \$250.00."
Carried.

Moved by Ross "that Thos. Laver be
paid the sum of \$100 for his work in
the Lousiana and Lousiana hospital."
Carried.

Moved by McBee "that we pay our
Secretary-Treasurer and Assessor
\$2,400 for the current year." Carried.

Moved by Rowland "that we give
children in each school district one
cent apiece for tails of gophers killed
in this Municipality up till September
1, 1919, also that we give a prize of
\$5, to be divided as follows: \$3 to the
winner, \$2 to the runner up, and \$1 to
the third, and the child securing the
greatest number; and the Secretary is
instructed to write the teachers in the
different school districts on this matter and ask
for their kind co-operation and hearty
support." Carried.

Moved by Farries "that our next
meeting be held in Elmore on Friday,
May 23, at arrival of the south bound
train at the depot." Carried.

A. L. MOORE, Secy-Treas.
T. Q. MOORE, Secy-Treas.

**TURN YOUR VICTORY BOND
INTEREST INTO W.S.S.**

This is the slogan of hundreds of
War Savings committee members
throughout Alberta today. They
point out the unequalled advantages
of this plan, both to the holder of a
bond and at the same time to the
Canadian government.

In this province alone \$450,000 in
interest on Victory Bonds of the last
issue will be due on May 1. This re-
presents the simple interest for six
months on the bonds sold last Nov-
ember at 5 1/2%. Re-invested into
Thrift and War Savings Stamps, this
simple interest will grow and be vir-
tually compounded interest on the bond.
Everyone knows the advantage of
compound interest over simple inter-
est.

Every bank teller, postmaster and
broker in the province has Thrift and
War Savings stamps, which he will
give out instead of cash to anyone
asking for them when redeeming Vic-
tory Bond coupons.

The appeal of the War Savings
stamp on its merits alone is great. By
buying the stamps, you are lending
money not to send the boys overseas to
be wounded or perhaps killed, but to
get them home and reinstated into
normal life as quickly as possible.

recitations. Perhaps the best
feature of the evening was the
reading by Miss I. K. MacLennan which
was heartily received, to which she re-
sponded. Mr. S. H. MacLennan, who
has in his usual good style, and \$50
was raised. Owing to the bad roads
and the telephone out of order, a
very large crowd did not turn out,
but a very enjoyable evening was
spent.

LETTER FROM BELGIUM

The following letter was received
from Teddy Moore, who has been
visiting Antwerp, Belgium, and he
gives an interesting account of his
Overseas, Belgium, March 11, 1919.

Mother Dear:—Back again in this
hundred little village, which has
numbered years truly among its in-
habitants for over two months now,
and may do so for two months more.
In fact, it scarcely seems that I have
been away at all, and those two days
in Antwerp were but a fantasy, a
dream of which I have a clear
impression, nevertheless. To give
you some description of the
events they witnessed—Friday was a
quiet day of a rain week, but I re-
quired more than mere water to
dampen our spirits when, with our
passages in our pockets, and rubber
sheets draped over our heads, (great-
coats having been discarded as too
warm and cumbersome for walking,
my companions of my previous
travels were close by, but I had
I bade farewell to our billets shortly
after noon to commence the eight
mile trek to Antwerp. There we
waited for a train, and a theatre, the
ticket office was closed, but a judi-
cious trip to the ticket collector suf-
ficed to admit us to the platform.

There we found the carriages simply
cramped with passengers, and they
managed to obtain standing room in
the little observation enclosure in the
car of our car. Our first care on
arrival was to buy a ticket, and a
room and have supper, after which
we reconnoitred a number of the
streets and completed the day's pro-
gram with a visit to a theatre, the
"Eden," to see a Flemish revue en-
titled "O.P.Q."

The following day, on the payment
of the sum of twelve and one half
francs each to defray the cost of two
meals, and the guide's fee, we be-
came members of a party of about
twenty Belgian soldiers, chiefly Cana-
dians and Australians, who were out
to see the city.

Commencing our tour from the
vicinity of the magnificent railway
station, we first proceeded to the
Place de la Commune, one of the best
of the city's squares, on which are
the statues of Jordaens and Van Dyck,
second only to Rubens among Bel-
gian painters, and of Leopold Van
Wael who, as burgomaster, did much
towards the development of Antwerp
as a port during his tenure of office.

The square is bordered by mag-
nificent buildings, among which are
the Atheneum, a sort of university, and
the Royal Theatre, while about a hun-
dred yards down one of the thorough-
fares leading off from it is the palat-
ial Flesch Opera House. En route
from thence to the Stock Exchange,
we passed the statue of Van Dyck, the
father of the diamond-cutting in-
dustry, seemed high up in a niche
in the wall of a building. The pre-
sent Stock Exchange is the product
of the nineteenth century, but, archi-
tecturally, it is a replica of the
old Antwerp Stock Exchange,
erected in the sixteenth century—the
pioneer of its kind in the world.

Proceeding down one of the principal
thoroughfares to the Place Vieille, we
passed some of the ruins of houses
demolished by the German bombard-
ment of 1914. At one extremity of
the Place Vieille, said to be the most
important square in the city, and con-
tained a statue of Rubens, in Ant-
werp Cathedral, considered the finest
cathedral in Belgium, and one of the
finest monuments of the Gothic type
of architecture in the world. Its con-
struction was commenced about the
middle of the fourteenth century, and
was completed about the end of the six-
teenth, and it can accommodate twenty
thousand worshippers. Among the
precious paintings that adorn its
walls are Rubens' masterpieces, "Descent
from the Cross," which is unique in
that it is the only one in the world
in which three great artists collabo-
rated, it being the product of the
combined efforts of Rubens, Jordaens
and Van Dyck. The pulpit, carved in
oak, is said to be the finest of its
kind in the world. Rubens' master-
piece bidding farewell to this magnif-
icent structure and its art treasures,
we next proceeded to the Grand
Place, in the centre of which stands
the Fontaine Brabo, erected to com-
memorate the legend from which
Antwerp draws its name, and border-
ing which, as is the case in all French
and Belgian cities, is the Town Hall,
or Hotel de Ville, not nearly so im-
posing or beautiful a structure,
viewed externally, as that of Brussels,
but boasting an affable, mellowed, state-
ly grandeur that baffles description.
All the chambers were huge fire-
places of wonderful, exquisitely car-
ved Belgian marble, while the pic-
tures, painted right on the walls, for-
mally could not vary. The paintings
on the ceiling of the council chamber
were the product of Rubens' brush,
painted while lying on a scaffolding,
on his back. The building itself
dates back to about 1570, but its pre-
decessor, built in the twelfth century,
still exists. The next place of interest
visited, after the Hotel de Ville,
was St. Paul's Church, from an artist's
point of view considered the finest
in the world. Among its art treas-
ures are some wonderful confessional
boxes, carved in oak by the Benedic-
tine monks, and a number of price-
less paintings, three of which are as-
cribed to Rubens. In the courtyard
of the church, the "Crucifixion" and
events immediately preceding and
following it are depicted in sculpture
and wood carving.

From thence we proceeded to the
baths and docks, among the finest in
the world, providing accommodation for
every type and tonnage of mari-
time craft. There, among other
things of interest, we saw the huge

German liner which was stranded
there at the commencement of hostil-
ities and subsequently sunk by Bel-
gian submarines in the River-Scheldt,
when the Huns invested the city.
Later, the Germans were successful
in re-floating it, after a colossal ex-
penditure of labor and money, only
to have the armistice intervene
before they could get it into working
order again. In yards near by were
stacked millions of feet of lumber
drawn by the Huns from Belgian for-
ests, but which the cessation of hos-
tilities forced him to leave behind,
and for which, in due time, he will
have to make compensation.

Returning from the docks, we wen-
dered our way through the rather odor-
iferous fish market, boarded a tram
car, and rode as far as the Palais de
Justice, a splendid building, but in no
way comparable to the magnificent
structure in Brussels. From thence
we proceeded on foot to the Art Gal-
lery, which, unfortunately, was closed
and from thence to the huge statue of
Leopold, erected to commemorate the
freeing of the Scheldt. Continuing
on our way, we came to the River
Scheldt itself, took a stroll along the
pier, watched the big steamers for a
while, and got an external view of an
ancient castle called the "Steen,"
which dates back to the seventh cen-
tury, and then returned to our start-
ing place for supper.

The following morning (Sunday)
having acquired by this time a fair
knowledge of the city, we started out
on our own, first visiting the Art Gal-
lery, which contains some of the most
celebrated and valuable paintings in
the world. That occupied our time
up to noon when, having dined at a
restaurant with numerous other din-
ers, we proceeded to the stock exchange,
some of the forts just outside the
city. Returning from them, we spent
a couple of hours in the Zoological
Garden, where, as the day was over,
a while, then took the train back to
Brussels. Brussels to Antwerp by
train, Antwerp to Overysche on
foot, and our little holiday was over.

Received word a few days ago from
father that he expected to sail about
the first of the month, so he should be
home before this reaches you.

There seems to be some hitch in
the infantry scheme of demobilization.
Part of the first division is still in
Belgium, the second is all around
Namur yet, and the third has not
followed them, so I think we can
consider ourselves lucky if we see Can-
ada by July.

Daisies were in bloom long ago, and
now the gold of dandelion and butter-
cup are in evidence, and today, while
passing through a wood, I noticed a
bluebell-like flower, very much like
the Canadian harebell, only smaller.

With love,
TEDDY.

M. D. OF GOLDEN WEST

A meeting of the Council of the Mun-
icipal District of Golden West, No. 371,
was held at Sylvan Lake on Saturday,
April 19. The meeting opened at 1
o'clock p.m., all the Councillors in at-
tendance.

One application for 66 bushels of
seed was received and provided for.

Mr. Greenwood, representing the
United Grain Growers, was at the
meeting and demonstrated to the Council
with a model machine the operation
of the Adams road grader.

Councillor W. H. Striper reported
a bridge on the range line between
rangers 35-36 and 36-37 between
sections 36 and 31 to be in a very un-
sound and dangerous condition, and re-
commended that it should be replaced
by a new bridge as soon as possible.
The Secretary was instructed to cor-
respond with the Government with re-
gard to it.

Mr. Rogers, the Reeve, reported that
the road between Red Deer and Sylvan
Lake was in very poor shape and need-
ed drastic action. The Secretary was in-
structed to write to the Secretary of
the Municipal District of Lorne, No. 40.

Councillor Smith recommended that
a road diversion on the southwest
corner of 35-36 and 36-37 be
cancelled, as it was entirely unnecessary.

A bill from the City of Red Deer for
the treatment of flu patients at the
Isolation Hospital was presented and
read over. The Secretary was in-
structed to write to the Secretary-Treasurer
of Red Deer in connection with it.

The following bills were presented
and approved for payment: The Western
Municipal News, \$21.50; Robinson-
Marshall Co., \$35; Red Deer Savings
\$25.50; Oscar Wessling, \$1; O. M. Wil-
kinson, \$2; Wm. Shinneman, 45c.; A.
MacLennan, 45c.; The Secretary, \$59;
Div. 4, \$51; Div. 3, \$10.10.

The Secretary reported having re-
ceived instructions from the Depart-
ment of Municipal Affairs to the effect
that we would be divided in the time
with regard to the rate of taxation to
be levied under the Supplementary
Revenue Act, and the method of col-
lecting Wild Lands taxes. The com-
pletion of the assessment and tax roll
would be delayed pending that advice.

A resolution was passed authorizing
the borrowing of \$100 from the Cana-
dian Bank of Commerce, for current
expenditure.

The date of the next meeting was
fixed for May 21.

FROM TOM'S TESTAMENT.

Another soldier lad was given a
pocket testament and when the
chaplain called and asked if he had
read it, the boy said he was too weak
to do so, but he would as soon as he
was better.

"I shall read it for you"—and
then he read the book, he said.
"Boys, how many of you would like
to hear me read from Tom's testam-
ent?"

The hands went up from the cot
near by, some comforting passages
were read and a prayer offered.

When the soldier died, a few days
later, the Testament was found
clamped in his hand under the cover-
let, and no doubt its promises
strengthened and helped the dying
boy as the Saviour upheld him
there. There, among other things
of interest, we saw the huge

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friendly terms. They can
be mutually helpful.
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CAMROSE NORMAL ALUMNI NOT TO HOLD BANQUET.

The Alberta Teachers' Association has decided not to hold the annual Spring Convention this year because of the recent epidemic. This decision prevents the Camrose Normal Alumni Association from having the usual Alumni function.

The Executive has decided to hold a "Silent Banquet" in honor of Our Boys, who are members of our association, and who are willingly offered their all on the fields of Europe.

Each member is requested to send in a subscription of \$1.00, to be used in placing in the Camrose school a suitable Memorial to our fallen heroes. It is also decided to place in the library of the school an enlarged group of all our members who enlisted for overseas service.

It is hoped by the Executive that each member will take this notice as a personal appeal, and also bring it to the attention of any member not so reached, that all may have a part in this undertaking.

The above subscription should be forwarded to Earl Sams, temporary Secretary-Treasurer, care of Education Department, Edmonton, not later than May 31st.

OFF TO BERLIN.

"And when you heard those big guns go off for the first time were you frightened Sam?" asked the man of the colored soldier home from Fough.

"Well, I was come startled, boss," replied the man in uniform.

"And did you jump, Sam?"

"Did I? Say boss, I jumped about twenty feet."

"As much as that, Sam?"

"Yes, sah, all of that. But I jumped in the right direction."

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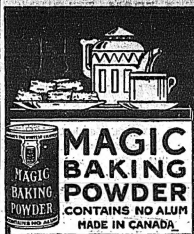
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RELATIVE LOSSES OF THE ALLIES IN THE STRUGGLE.

Paris, April 23.—The Petit Parisien publishes a table of the relative losses of the allies in the war, according to which France, with a population of 38,762,000 mobilized 9,717,000 men, representing 25 per cent of the population, and her losses (killed) numbered 1,368,000, or 3.37 per cent of the population.

England mobilized 5,704,000 men or 12.6 per cent of the population, and her losses were 680,000, or 1.5 per cent of the population. The British colonies are not included in these figures.

Italy mobilized 5,250,000 men, which represents 15.1 per cent of the population, and lost 460,000, or 1.33 per cent.

The United States mobilized 3,863,000 men, or 41 per cent of the population, and her losses, 122,000, represent a percentage of .013.

FAKE GRAIN VARIETIES

(Experimental Farms Note)

Each year many farmers are the victims of plausible agents who are selling so-called new varieties. Making extravagant claims, they charge a corresponding price, and only too often the farmer who naturally desires more productive varieties if obtainable, pays an exorbitant price for a supposedly new and prolific sort, which is in fact an old variety camouflaged with a new name or else a selection whose qualities are entirely unknown. Being divisible into classes, these agents and their claims can be grouped conveniently as follows:

First, those who take a high yielding, prolific variety, such as Banner or O.A.C. No. 72, and give it another name and introduce it as a new variety.

Second, those who are selling a variety that has been mutilated from a peculiar plant, or from extraordinary heads found in the general crop. The producer, thinking it a valuable variety, offers it for sale before its qualities are known.

Third, those who are offering for sale to a few limited customers only, a wonderful variety that was produced by a secret process of selection or else has been grown from a few seeds found in the tundra of the arctic.

A fourth class might be made of those who sell a variety for what it is, but make extravagant claims for its yielding ability. This well illustrated by the Alaska or seven-headed wheat.

The agent in the first case is a financial shark who is obtaining money by false pretences. He, perhaps, does the least harm of any beyond the confusion created in the nomenclature of varieties and the money which he takes from the farmer.

In the second case the agent may be acting in the best of faith and with the conviction that his claims will be justified by the resulting crop. Perhaps they will be, but the varieties are legion that have been introduced in this way and have been found worthless in comparative tests with standard varieties.

The third agent, though, is the real out and out grain faker, and should be liable to prosecution. The farmer who is deceived by his pretences almost deserves to pay the price of his credulity.

It is the right of any person who has multiplied out a selection of grain to sell it for what it is and charge any price he sees fit. Against these well-intentioned, legitimate transactions we have nothing to say, beyond warning the farmer that at the best he is likely only buying an old variety, and that exceedingly few of these amateur selections are ever of value.

What is advisable is that in every case before buying a variety that he intends to grow as a general crop, the farmer should consult the reports of his nearest Experimental Station. The remedy for the actual frauds that are perpetrated is in his own hands. As long as he will buy, the agents will sell, and the efforts put forth by the cereal stations of Canada for the improvement of crops will continue to be partially frustrated.

NOT ALL THE TIME

"Good morning. It's a nice summer we're having this winter."

The speaker was a scrawny, very thin sort of a man, with a far-away look in his eye; the other eye looked a little nearer.

The man to whom the speaker was speaking was very stout for his size, and kept faking and unlacing his shoes, nervously.

"Am I addressing Mr. Bowersocks, sixty-ninth president of the Amalgamated Bologna Works?"

"I am—I means you are. What can you do for me?" asked the president, again speaking backwards.

"Well, my name is Swope, Hoodlum Swope, and I'm selling a book on acquiring a good memory for remembering names. It is entitled 'Short abbreviated Cut to Long Contemplative Names.' Price only 50 cents down and 50 cents up again—'Tah!'

"You mean hurry," continued Hoodlum Swope, cheerfully. "I see, you are bursting your diamond vest buttons to know all about it. Well, it's a plan to remember a man's name long enough after you're introduced to him to call him by the right name when you are wanting to borrow a dollar. For instance your name is Bowersocks. Now, if I wanted to borrow a dollar from you and called you Showersocks, or Noodlehose, would I get the dollar?"

"No!" shouted Bowersocks, thunderously.

"Well, then, see what's in a name. Now, this book, tells you how to remember a man's name by this deck of cards on page 98, chapter entitled 'Remember your name for example' Names, Places, and Acos." Now, Mr. Bowersocks, I take this deck of cards, pick out a face, let's say, the king, and then you are—Bowersocks!"

"Marvellous!" exclaimed Mr. Bowersocks, witheringly.

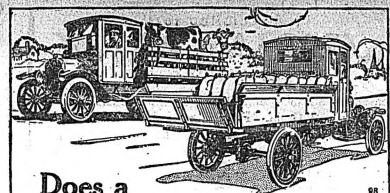
"Take the name of Kingan. Pick out a king, and for Jackson, pick out a Jack, and so on."

"Now to prove it to you, give me your wife's maiden name, for instance and in a second I will tell you how to remember it. What is it?"

"Pfeffenshifter," exclaimed Mr. Bowersocks, smiling at last.

"Pfeffenshifter, oh, excuse me a minute, Mr. Bowersocks, I've just had a wireless message to return to the factory."

"And the clever man hastened away."



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For the support which has made possible the war work of the Y.M.C.A. we thank you. Your money has been well expended. We have rendered full account.

We ask now your continued sympathy and support for Red Triangle Service for our Soldiers during demobilization, and for Y.M.C.A. work for Canada generally during the Reconstruction period. The Annual Red Triangle campaign will be held throughout Canada May 5th to 9th, 1919. The objective is \$1,100,000.

For Our Men Returning

For the soldiers and their dependents, returning from Overseas, we have provided as follows:—

1. A Red Triangle man on board every ship when it leaves Great Britain, with a full equipment of games, gramophones and records, music lantern, literature and writing materials. Where possible, also a piano or an organ. Lectures, concerts, sing songs, instruction in Government repatriation plans, and Sunday Services.

2. Red Triangle comforts and facilities for the men on arrival at Halifax, St. John, Quebec and Montreal, including coffee stalls, with free drinks, free eatables, cigarettes, candies, etc.

3. Red Triangle men on every troop train to provide regularly free drinks, eatables and cigarettes, organize games and sing songs, and furnish information.

4. Red Triangle free canteen service, information bureau, etc., at each of the 22 Dispersal centres in Canada.

5. Red Triangle Clubs in the principal cities of Canada in the shape of large Y.M.C.A. hostels to furnish bed and board at low rates and to be a rendezvous for soldiers.

6. Seventy-five Secretaries to superintend Red Triangle service in Military Hospitals, Camps and Barracks throughout Canada.

7. Tickets entitling soldiers to full Y.M.C.A. privileges for six months at any local Y.M.C.A. furnished.

In addition, to our work for the returning soldiers, we have to maintain the Red Triangle service to the full for the soldiers in Siberia, as well as the work of special secretaries in Northern Russia, Palestine and Poland.

Y.W.C.A.

For the wives and children Overseas, dependent upon Canadian soldiers, and for Y.W.C.A. work in Canada generally, a sum of \$175,000 from the Red Triangle Fund will be set aside for the Dominion Council of the Y.W.C.A., which is caring for the soldiers' women folk, and their little ones on the long journey, from Liverpool to Canada, and is also extending its work for Canadian girls.

For their sake also be generous when you make your contribution.

FOR the sake of our victorious soldiers and their dependents, and the happiness of their home-coming; for the sake of our future citizens, our teen-age boys; for the sake of rural life in Canada; for the sake of the social betterment of the toilers in factory and workshop; for the sake of lonely men and boys in our mines and forests; for the sake of Christian Society and Canadian manhood—we appeal to you. Give us your contribution, little or big. Be as generous as you can.

Hand your contribution to the canvasser when he calls, or if you live where it is difficult for him to call, send it by check, money order or registered letter to the National Treasurer, Red Triangle Campaign, 120 Bay Street, Toronto.

For Canada's Manhood

The Reconstruction program of the Y. M. C. A. includes the following vitally important developments:—

1. An increased service to 300,000 teen-age boys in the Dominion—the development of Canadian Standard Efficiency training; Bible Study groups; summer camps; conferences; service for High School boys for working boys, in the towns and cities; for boys on the farm and for boys everywhere, who have lacked opportunity for mental, moral, physical or social development.

2. Inauguration of Y.M.C.A. work in the country, and the smaller towns and villages lacking Association buildings and equipment, on a plan of county organizations. This will include the establishment of Red Triangle centres for social, recreation and educational work among boys and men, in co-operation with the churches.

3. The promotion of Y.M.C.A. work among Canada's army of workers in industrial plants, both in Y.M.C.A. buildings and in the factory buildings, organizing the industrial workers of our cities by social, recreational, games and sports.

4. The establishment of the Red Triangle in isolated districts where lumbermen, miners and other workers hold the front trenches of industry.

5. Besides these main fields of increased activity for 1919, we have to provide for enlarged work among railway men, college students and for our campaign to encourage physical and sex education. Under all our work we place the fundamental foundation of manly Christianity.

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We are not asking for money to carry on our work Overseas, with the Army in Great Britain, France or Belgium. That work will continue at its maximum for some months, financially provided for by the liquidation of our assets Overseas, and will not terminate till the last man has sailed for home.

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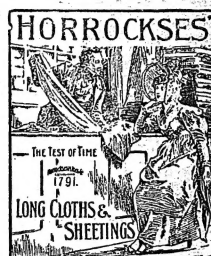


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FAMILIES OF SOLDIERS WHO GO ON LAND WILL BE AIDED BY THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT

MAJOR BARNETT, OF SETTLEMENT BOARD, RECEIVES TELEGRAPHIC ADVICE TO THIS EFFECT—LIKELY CANDIDATES WILL BE GIVEN TRAINING WITH PRACTICAL FARMERS.

Calgary, April 24.—Major Barnett, in charge of the work of the loan board of the Southern Alberta office of the Dominion Soldiers' Land Settlement Board, received telegraphic notification Wednesday from Ottawa that special financial provision will be made for the families of soldiers who go on temporarily on farms to acquire some practical experience with farmers pending the taking up of land themselves.

One of the features of the land settlement plan is the provision for taking candidates who give promise of making good farmers, with a little practical experience, and putting them out with farmers for six months or a year until they are qualified to take over work themselves. There have been many applications of this nature but, in many cases, the applicant could not proceed to take up the work because he had a wife and children to support meanwhile. While farmers taking men on to teach them practical work are generally willing to pay wages, the money earned in this way would scarcely support a family.

\$25 FOR WIFE MONTHLY.
The government has now decided, in such cases, to allow \$25 a month to the wife of soldiers going out with a farmer to get practical experience, and \$6 a month for the first child, with \$1 a month for each additional child up to a maximum of \$25 a month for the children. That is, the soldier, while getting the practical experience, will, in addition to the wages he earns, receive from \$25 to \$50 a month for his family, depending on the size of the family.

\$500,000 LOANS APPROVED.
In five weeks time, the Southern Alberta office of the Dominion Land Settlement Board has approved of loans to soldier-farmers amounting to the huge total of half a million dollars. These loans are being put through at the rate of about forty a week. On the other hand, the qualification board of the Southern Alberta office of the Soldiers' Land Settlement Board has been passing qualified candidates for loans at the rate of 100 to 115 per week. The result, of course, is that the loan board is somewhat behind in its work, as there is a tremendous amount of detail in connection with the final approval of the loans.

ONE CAUSE OF DELAY.
One of the causes of delay is the careful inspection of all land which the soldier-settlers themselves select. D. Adams, chairman, Hugh Melvin, H. A. Howard, W. D. Mackay, all

port that there is a lamentable tendency on the part of numerous private owners to "attract" the soldier with a high price for land. Major Barnett says that there have been from twelve to fifteen instances recently where the board by intervention at the proper time, has succeeded in causing the owner of the land to cut as much as \$1,000 off his original price to the soldier. Major Barnett himself intervened in a half dozen such cases.

In a number of these instances, while the owner asks what appears to be on the surface a fair real estate valuation for the land, he does not take into account the fact that the government, in purchasing the land for the soldier on a loan basis to the latter, pays cash in hand to the owner. Land owners who have been accustomed to selling through real estate agents and getting a price for their land based on a long list of instalments running ten years or over, are asking the same price from the government for a full cash payment. Major Barnett estimated that the full cash payment is worth from 10 to 15 per cent more to the owner than the sale of the land on the usual real estate instalment plan. Thus, on land worth \$20 per acre at the usual real estate appraisal, there should be a discount of from \$2 to \$3 per acre for cash. This is not taking into account the fact that the owner, in selling the land to the soldier, or actually to the government for the soldier, also escapes the payment of the \$1 an acre commission to the agent handling the deal.

APPLICATIONS REFUSED.
"We have had to turn down a number of applications from soldiers for this very reason," said Major Barnett this morning, "because the soldier were not given the price on the instalment plan. Thus, on land worth \$20 per acre, the soldier would be entitled to. Where we can succeed in getting the owner to fix a reasonable price, the deal goes. Where we cannot, the soldier must look for other land."

Owing to this fact, and the necessity for careful inspection of the land, the board is behind in closing up large number of deals where soldiers already have been passed by the qualification board, and have selected their land for inspection. However, the loan board is pushing the inspections as rapidly as possible.

PERSONNEL OF BOARD.
The loan board is composed of D. Adams, chairman; Hugh Melvin, H. A. Howard, W. D. Mackay, all

well-known Calgary business and financial men, and R. D. McTavish, a veteran representing the soldiers. The board has been holding numerous meetings and two are on the list for today. The work at the office is in charge of Major Barnett. R. L. Richardson is chairman of the qualification board, the other members of this board being members of the loan board, while Mr. Long is in charge of the office work of the qualification board.

RUMOR DESIGNED TO INJURE WAR SAVINGS STAMP CAMPAIGN

Frank Pegler, of Calgary, Secretary of the National War Savings Committee for Alberta, discussing the baseless rumor that the National War Savings movement would be discontinued, stated emphatically that it was no friend of Canada who started the canard.

"Had such rumor been disseminated during the war, I would have had no hesitation in labelling it 'pro-German,'" he commented. "It is one thing that will hurt Canada more than another just now, it is the placing of obstacles in the way of financing the country. We all know that we cannot get money from other sources that were open before and during the war, and that we are dependent upon ourselves, and the person who tries to embarrass the raising of money for the carrying on of the Dominion's business and the paying of soldiers' pensions and other military liabilities, is doing Canada a distinct disservice."

"It would be interesting to know who is responsible for the rumor."

"How is the National Savings movement going in Alberta?" he was asked.

"Excellent. Every day adds to the list of the places that are taking up this good work, and before the year is out it is expected that every population centre in the Province will be a live factor in the campaign."

ALBERTA \$1,000,000 CLUB.
Alberta's first Thousand Dollar War Savings Club has been formed in Calgary. The members to date are: P. Burns, Dr. M. C. Church, J. T. Burns, T. A. Hornibrook, H. T. Whittemore, H. W. Allen, Fred Temple and Robert Duff (combined), Hal Middleton, Bruce Robinson, P. A. Wintemute, W. Arden, Wm. Toole, Archie Nimmo, and A. L. Hess. This list will be considerably increased. Other Albertans, men and women, who wish to join this society and to help Canada grow, are invited to communicate with Secretary Frank Pegler, of the Central War Savings Society office, 218A, 8th Avenue West, Calgary.

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FARMERS RIGHT ON WHEAT PRICE

PRESIDENT OF U.F.A. SAYS CANADIAN CONVENTION PROPERLY REFUSED GOVERNMENT AID.

"I am satisfied that our convention took the right stand on this matter; in fact, they took the only stand that would measure four square with the fundamental principles of our organization."

This was the remark Thursday morning, H. W. Wood, president of the U.F.A., to a representative of The Calgary Herald in talking of a fixed price for Canadian wheat. It was pointed out by Mr. Wood by the newspaper man that according to dispatches the farmers in the States were making a protest against the \$2.25 minimum price fixed by congress.

The president stated that the farmers on the other side of the line were evidently expecting the price of wheat would go to at least 50 cents a bushel above the minimum that had been fixed.

PRINCIPLES INVOLVED.
Referring to Canadian wheat, Mr. Wood stated he had not been trying to forecast what the price would be, but had rather been dealing with the principles involved in asking the government to guarantee a price to the farmers of Canada. After referring to the action taken at the convention, Mr. Wood stated that he was also satisfied that the farmers of Alberta were more strongly convinced now

AERIAL MAILS IN OPERATION IN FRANCE.

One of the R.A.F. aerial mail service routes now being operated in France, is between Malesherbes and Cologne—a distance of 225 miles. The unit responsible for this service is No. 110 squadron and during the last three weeks in spite of almost the worst possible weather conditions there have only been three days when the weather actually prevented the mails being carried. During this period 465 bags of mails have been carried to Cologne, and on only one occasion had there been a forced landing. Some idea of the weather conditions prevailing may be gathered from the fact that on the majority of days on which the mails were carried from March 1st onwards, it was found impossible to continue the training of the homing pigeons attached to the unit. Moreover, as it was necessary to fly through driving rain, specially protected propellers had to be supplied as the rain so seriously damaged the ordinary type during one journey that they became unsafe for further use. Rain and thick cloud have on occasion prevented the squadron from flying, but thick ground mist and low fog has been the most serious difficulty.

The average time for all flights for the whole distance is 2 hours 16 minutes, while the record up to date is 1 hour and 45 minutes. The machines used are D.H.O.A.s. As the route was a new one to nearly all the pilots engaged, and bearing in mind the extremely adverse weather conditions of this month, it is felt that the performance of No. 110 squadron is particularly creditable.

than when they took the stand they did.

A SACRED DUTY.
"There is one thing, however, that the government owes as a sacred duty," continued Mr. Wood, "not only to the farmers, but to the Dominion, but I am sorry to say that at the present time the government does not seem to have realized that duty. This is to do everything in their power to sell the surplus of this year's Canadian wheat crop to the best advantage on the world's markets."

MUST BE FINANCED.
"In order to do this," he said, "it is very probable that some of the nations buying this wheat will have to be financed for that purpose, and the Canadian government is the only government through which this financing can be done."

Mr. Wood reiterated this point in a most emphatic manner, and continued: "If the Canadian government can be brought to realize the importance of agriculture to national welfare, they will use every endeavor in this direction, but the past furnishes very little foundation on which to build."

THROW LAND HELD FOR SPECULATION OPEN TO VETERANS

LT. COL. A. W. WOODS, IN CANADIAN CLUB ADDRESS, ADVISES THIS COURSE.

The acquiring of all available land near the large centres of population at present held by speculators for soldier settlement purposes, the necessity of the business men giving their backing to the government labor bureau and the absolute need for civilian population bringing to the attention of the government the desirability of extended help to soldiers anxious to enter business life or to resume work at universities, along with the alien enemy question were all matters touched upon by Lt. Col. A. W. Woods, D.S.O., Winnipeg, before the Canadian Club Wednesday. The speaker is field secretary for Manitoba for the Repatriation committee and has been asked to make a trip through the west.

There are many soldiers who do not desire to go on the farm. The government has not made any gratuity to the farmer soldier but has rather offered him a good business proposition which will be even improved once more desirable land is available, but the other soldiers must be looked after as well. "They do not feel like asking for themselves and it is up to the civilian population to take some action," declared the speaker. "The same applies to the alien enemy question. I want to ask the citizens of Alberta whether it is fair to the men who gave up good lucrative positions to fight for and defend Canadian interests in France and Flanders to find his position occupied by men who cannot be termed other than enemy aliens."

The chair of labor bureaus which the government has established throughout the country are open to all classes of labor both male and female. Here, unless the business men gave their support and sympathy success was not going to reward them."

"In regard to the announcement made by the land settlement board as to the acquisition of 140,000 acres of Hudson's Bay Land, I must emphasize the fact that every piece of land at present held by speculators should be thrown open to the soldier settler. The value of such land is being enhanced by the expenditure of labor and capital, that is, of the neighboring farmers, and all within reasonable distance of large centres of population should be open to such settlement." The terms which included a money grant of \$8,000 repayable in 20 annual instalments at 5 per cent, with no interest for that

SYLVAN LAKE.
The people of Sylvan Lake and surrounding country were again nicely entertained on Friday night, the 25th inst., at the Schoolhouse by the teacher, Miss Jarvis, and the school children, with the assistance of some of the local talent in giving a nice concert, then a box social and a dance afterwards. The concert consisted of recitations; singing and instrumental music and all parts were well rendered. Two of the parties got so interested in their singing that one had to be pulled off the stage by a chain looped over his neck. Then the sale of boxes took place, and oh, my your humble servant might as well have stayed at home. The boxes went for \$2.50 to \$4.00 and the result was something over \$75. To be used toward buying an organ for the school. A good time was had, and then the dancing began and was kept up until early morning, when all departed to their homes saying they had been having such a good time that they would like to have it repeated quite often.

CAMPING ACCOMMODATION AT EDMONTON EXHIBITION THIS SUMMER.

The Edmonton Exhibition grounds are being enlarged by the addition of sixty-five acres lying immediately south, and this will provide ample room for the machinery exhibits and midway, which were badly cramped for room last year. A new Women's Building is contemplated, and a beautiful grove of trees in the new section has been set aside for the benefit of parties from outside points who wish to notes to the Edmonton Exhibition, July 7th to 12th, inclusive, and camp on the grounds. Arrangements will be made to have an office on the grounds where tents, cots, and mattresses may be rented at a nominal cost, thus solving the problem of obtaining accommodation. Campers will be required to take their own bedding, and they can either provide their own meals, or get them at one of the many lunch stands. It is hoped that this will enable many from outside points to bring their families to the Edmonton exhibition for the week.

Manager Stark will gladly furnish further information re this camping ground.

It is only when we consider the objective of the German people, i.e., world domination and the worship of the superman that we can obtain a fair idea of what our men have accomplished for us in the German desert, and we must make them their suitable rewards," said the speaker.

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You are probably already well settled down to your spring work, and may have all the harness you require, but if such is not the case, the harness listed below will be of special interest to you. We said before they were exceptionally good values, and the quantity we have sold since this advertisement last appeared still leads us to think the same. If you need an extra collar for the spring, we have the famous Langford Collar, which will fill the bill nicely; for horses with sore shoulders they are a sure cure.

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BREAST STRAPS—1 1/2 in. heavy single stock, with Snaps and Slides.

MARTINGALES—1 1/2 in. heavy Single Strap with Dees.

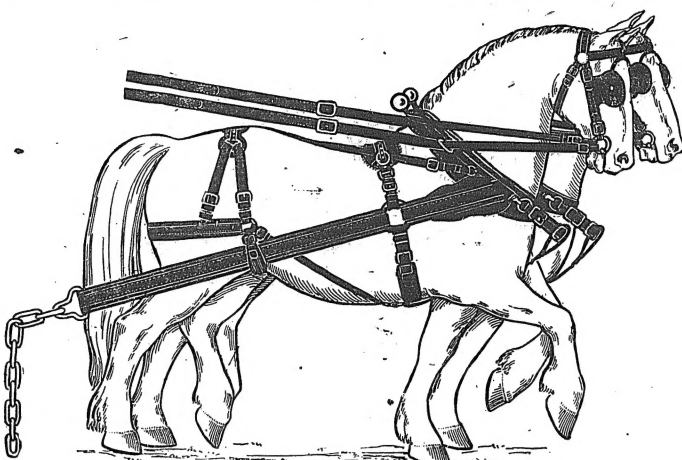
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TEAM LINES—1 in. wide, full length, select material, complete with snaps.

HAMES—Cold Rolled Steel Bolt Hames; large X.C. Ball Adjustable Hame Strap Loops.

HAME STRAPS—1 in. wide, full length.

TRACES—3/4 in. heavy body with 1 1/2 in. Layer, full length, Body doubled at Hame, tested Steel Heel Chain, Belly Band Billets, 1 1/2 in., or as shown with ring, but no wide safe at hame.

POLE STRAPS—1 1/2 in. heavy single Strap, good quality, with loops and slides.

MARTINGALES—1 1/2 in. heavy single Strap with Dees, doubled at Dees.

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BELLY BANDS—Folded with 1 1/2 in. Layer.

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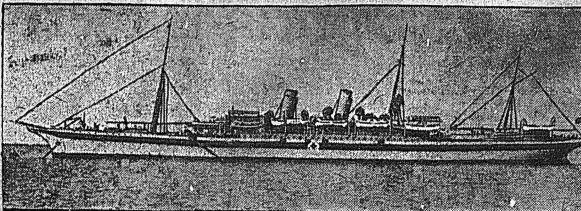
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HER INTERESTING CAREER RECALLED



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QUITE recently the hospital ship "Loyalty" has been converted in Bombay into a troopship, and the occasion appears to justify publication of some of her career as a hospital ship, a career which was not only one of great service, but which reflects in a very remarkable way the great generosity of his Highness, the Maharajah of Gwalior. In August, 1914, his Highness the Maharajah of Gwalior visited Bhopal and arranged with the Begum Sahib to present the Government with a hospital ship, to be called "Loyalty," to which the Chiefs of India were to be asked to subscribe. The offer was gratefully accepted, but there was considerable delay in procuring a suitable ship. Eventually the ship chosen was the "Empress of India," built by the Naval Construction & Armaments Company of Barrow-in-Furness, in 1891, for the Canadian Pacific Railway's Pacific Ocean trade. Together with her sister ship, "Empress of China," and "Empress of Japan," she was specially designed, built on very handsome lines, and fitted most luxuriously with everything considered necessary for the comfort of passengers of all classes. The matter of engine power and speed was kept specially in view, so that the ships in their time were the fastest in the Pacific trade, and earned a great name for the quick transmission of passengers, mails and fine goods, such as silk and tea, between Hong Kong, Japan and Vancouver, and thence to various points by the Canadian Pacific Railway across the American Continent. It will thus be seen that the "Loyalty," prior to becoming a hospital ship, took a great part as "Empress of India." In the opening up and developing of commerce in one of the cutting parts of the Empire. Incidentally she has the honor of carrying King George as a passenger, when he was Prince of Wales. It would almost seem to be in the

natural order of events that the good ship "Empress of India," after carrying on such useful commercial work for 23 years, and being relieved on Pacific station by a larger and more modern style of ship (the new "Empress of Asia") should come on the scene at the outbreak of the present war, just when his Highness the Maharajah of Gwalior decided to repeat his loyal and magnificent act of 1900, by presenting a hospital ship of 300 beds capacity for use during the war. Most appropriately the ship was acquired from the Canadian Pacific Railway Company. The Director of the Royal India Marine and his officers acted for his Highness in the matter of buying, altering and refitting the "Empress of India," of London, and changing her name to the "Loyalty" of Bombay. This was done in October, 1914, and within four months from the time war was declared the "Loyalty" from a distance of about 13 miles, when she was full of badly wounded men (British cases from the Dardanelles) on her way down Alexandria and Malta to Southampton.

When plying in Indian waters, the "Loyalty" had the good fortune to render assistance to a transport which took fire and was abandoned at sea, the "Edavara." Hearing the distressed vessel's messages on the wireless, the "Loyalty" proceeded with all speed to the place indicated and picked up 79 of the burning ship's people in three boats during the night, afterwards transferring them to the steamship "Madras," which was bound for Bombay. "Loyalty" not been an hospital ship she would have towed the "Edavara" into Bombay, but, of course, could not do this without infringing the Geneva Red Cross Convention.

She also rendered assistance to several India and native craft met at sea during the war, and to a light house crew in the Red Sea.

Incidents at Sea. The list of bills passed by the house and to which the Lieutenant Governor gave his assent include the following:

An act to amend Chapter 40 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1916, being "an act to incorporate the United Insurance Company."

An act to amend the act incorporating the Canada Security Assurance Company, being Chapter 57 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1913.

An act to amend the act incorporating the Hat Central Railway Company.

ALBERTA LEGISLATURE PROROGUED

APRIL 17

Following the appearance of the Lieutenant Governor in official uniform, and the giving of his assent to the bills, the members conducted their work for the day by the singing of the National Anthem, and then quickly dispersed. Clerk John R. Cowell was busy for some time distributing the cheques for the seasonal indemnities to the members.

BILLS GIVEN ASSENT

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between the City of Edmonton and the Edmonton School District No. 7, and other agreements arising thereout, and to validate certain bylaws.

An act respecting the Department of Public Health.

An act to amend the Women's Institute Act.

An act to amend the Land Titles Act.

An act to amend the Police of the Province of Alberta.

An act to amend the Registered Nurses' Act.

the plague in India and China is a source of danger to this country and one must be guarded against.

An exchange points out that the present epidemic of plague in Asia began in Hongkong in 1895, and has persisted since then. It was a deadly and widespread as ever during the first three months of 1918, that is, twenty-two years after the original outbreak. Moreover, as long as the rat is infested in a locality, just so long will man be liable to the disease. The obstacles in the way of successfully grappling with the plague problem in Asia are insurmountable. The natives object to wholesale inclosure and rat destruction; hence the only effective mode of procedure is most difficult to carry out. Religious scruples against the slaughter of animals, even vermin, are prevalent throughout India. Consequently it may be taken for granted that plague will continue to persist in Asia, and it is extremely rare in the two great ports of that continent, Hongkong and Bombay, it is not an impossibility that it will be conveyed thence to our ports on the Pacific coast, if necessary precautions are not taken.

ALBERTA FAIR DATES

Below we give a list of the more important summer and fall fairs in Alberta in 1919, as well as those in territory under our own district.

Crossfield—June 25, 26, 27.
Calgary—June 27 to July 5.
Edmonton—July 7 to 12.
RED DEER—July 14, 15, 16, 17.
Wetaskiwin—July 21, 22.
Ponoka—July 23, 24.
Lacombe—July 24, 25, 26.
Stettin—July 27, 28, 29.
Coronation—August 12, 13.
Castor—August 14, 15.
Dayland—August 12, 13.
Hays (Louisiana)—Sept. 10, 11.
Leduc—Sept. 16, 17.
Innisfail—Sept. 17, 18.
Bowden—Sept. 19.
Olds—Sept. 23, 24.
Didsbury—Sept. 25, 26.
Millerton—Sept. 30.
Trochu—October 2, 3.
Rocky Mount—Home—Sept. 22, 23.

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Local and District Intelligence

April, passes.

May Day tomorrow.

Clean-up Day Friday.

Get in your gardens early.

Mrs. Boyle, of Thorold, Ont., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Chas. Sinclair.

Mrs. Dan Smith is spending a couple of weeks with friends in Innisfail.

W. S. Hall has moved into the Smith residence on Guest Avenue South.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Cox are visiting their daughter, Miss Eva Cox, who is training as a nurse in the Galt hospital, Lethbridge.

High School Inspector Smith addressed the School Board Friday afternoon last with regard to Normal Training in the schools.

Mrs. George Harvey has returned to Red Deer.

Mrs. J. A. McPherson and children, who have been spending the winter at Edmonton, returned home last week.

W. A. McKinney has purchased the Bert McCune farm across the river south west of the city about six miles at \$30 per acre. P. Pidgeon put the deal through.

A meeting of the secretaries of Municipal Districts will be held in Red Deer tomorrow, May 1st, when John Ferris, Deputy Minister of Municipal Affairs, will address the meeting.

Freel Lund will give an exhibition of ploughing, discing and harrowing with the Ford Tractor on the five acre plot of Sam Wilson's slaughter house, a mile east of the Soldiers' hospital, this Wednesday afternoon at four o'clock.

The first thunder storm of the season took place Monday evening, and was followed later on in the evening by a refreshing shower. This makes ideal seedling weather for this district and never was there better prospect of a bumper-crop in the Red Deer district, the banner district of Alberta.

The C.P.R. need stirring up pretty badly. Freight cars recently have been piling up, and goods are not unloaded owing to shortage of help. This paper would not have been issued today but for the generosity of our coten, who furnished us with enough paper to finish our run. The paper was shipped us last Thursday from Calgary, and we did not get it until yesterday.

Never have crop conditions been more favorable in Red Deer district than they are at the present time, and every farmer is busy putting in his crop. The splendid soaking rains of two weeks ago, and the recent warm weather, has made seedling conditions ideal. There will probably be from fifteen to twenty per cent increase in acreage sown this year for this district. A large portion of the seedling is already completed.

FOR SALE—A few tons of sheaf oats.—Phone 323, Red Deer. Apr. 30-1

FOR SALE—One Chevrolet Car, 1918 model, in excellent condition.—Apply to Drs. Collison & Sanders. Apr. 29, 30.

WANTED—A few good Dairy Cows to freshen soon.—Apply to News Office, Red Deer. Apr. 29-1

FORD DELIVERY CAR FOR SALE, cheap.—Apply Fred Lund, Ford Garage, 1st Street, North. Apr. 30-2

FOR SALE—Broody Hens, Purebred Buff Orpingtons, \$2.00 each.—Apply at News Office. Apr. 30

HORSES LOST—Two bay mares, coming four, one with a white face, and the other has a white spot on forehead. When last seen, each had halter and rope on. Seen at Sylvan Lake, Monday, April 21st. Reward for information leading to recovery.—W. Krause, Red Deer, or c/o B. F. Krause, I.R. No. 1, Red Deer. Apr. 30 3w

FOR SALE—Lilac Bushes, Caragana Bushes, Flowering Currants, Caragana Seed, Rhubarb Roots and seed, Seed Peas, Cabbage, Cauliflower, Celery, Tomato and Bedding Plants in season.—Jensen, Cole, Victoria Avenue, Red Deer. May 30-3

FOR SALE—A good five-roomed house, 15 minutes walk to Post Office. Price \$1,000, part cash, balance very easy, or will trade for cattle.—Apply to Alex. McKay, Red Deer West. Apr. 29-3

Help make Red Deer beautiful on Friday next.

Senator Edward Michener left for Ottawa on Monday morning last.

The regular meeting of the Women's Institute will be held on Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. Dr. Collison.

We are pleased to state that both Mrs. A. S. Maxwell and Mrs. F. C. Whitehouse are recovering nicely, and Mrs. Maxwell will be home in a few days.

Thomas Hoskins has purchased the property known as the Judge Lees property on the hill east of the city, and is having the building raised and a full sized concrete basement put under the house. He also contemplates building a new barn.

Dr. George has just added two live baby snapping turtles and two horned toads, brought all the way from California by George Wright, formerly of Horn Hill, for the doctor's museum. The turtles are only about an inch across the back and are very comical looking little creatures.

Alex. McRae, of the North End store, has sold out this business to Wm. Mohring, of North Red Deer, who took charge on Wednesday last.

Mr. Mohring is well and favorably known to the people of the north side and of the country, both west and east. Mr. and Mrs. McRae will push on west, and will probably locate at Nelson, B.C.

Mrs. J. G. Fulton and her sister, Mrs. Jeanette, who has been visiting with her several months, expect to leave for Toronto about the 10th of May, when Mrs. Jeanette will meet her husband, who is returning from overseas. Mrs. (Rev.) Gordon Matthews will accompany them if she is sufficiently recovered to be able to stand the trip.

On account of sickness amongst those who intended taking part in the entertainment, connected with the Bird House Fair, the committee and they can only have the houses judged, and on exhibition, and prizes awarded for this year in the Institute tea rooms on Saturday, May 3. All exhibitors must have their bird houses at the Institute rooms before 11 a.m. on that day. The awards will be made known during the afternoon. The Institute hopes many boys and girls will take advantage of this competition, for not only do they have a chance to win a prize, but they are doing a good work for the birds by encouraging and protecting them.

WANTED—Live Chickens, 18c per lb.—Apply S. Wilson, Alberta Meat Market. Apr. 30-1

WANTED—Nurse girl, to help with light house work.—Apply Mrs. A. E. Foster, Sixth Street, North. Apr. 23-1

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